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THE DEMONSTRATION IN WASHINGTON—THE PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

An immense meeting assembled in Washington, yesterday, to sustain the President in his recent course, and in his general policy of reconstruction. Grover's Theatre was filled to overflowing, stands were erected in the neighborhood from which speakers addressed the multitude, and there was much enthusiasm. Philip R. Fendall presided, and the officers were composed of some of the most respectable citizens of Washington and Georgetown. After the adoption of resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting, the crowd adjourned to the front of the Presidents House, and the proceedings, which had taken place were communicated to him. He came forward and addressed the vast crowd. In the course of this addressed the PRESIDENT said.

"The Government has stretched forth its strong arm, and with its physical power it has put down treason in the field. That is, the section of country that arrayed itself against the Government has been conquered by the force of the Government itself. Now, what had we said to those people? We said: 'No compromise; we can settle this question with the South in eight and forty hours.'"

I have said it again and again, and I repeat it now, "Disband your armies, acknowledge the supremacy of the Constitution of the United States, give obedience to the law, and the whole question is settled." [Cheers.]

What has been done since? Their armies have been disbanded. They come now to meet us in a spirit of magnanimity and say, "We were mistaken; we made the effort to carry out the doctrine of secession and dissolve this Union, and having traced this thing to its logical and physical results, we now acknowledge the flag of our country, and promise obedience to the Constitution, and the supremacy of the law." [Cheers.]

I say, then, when you comply with the Constitution, when you yield to the law, when you acknowledge allegiance to the Government, I say let the door of the Union be opened and the relation be restored to those that had erred and had strayed from the fold of our fathers." [Cheers.]

"It is not the course to deal with a whole people in a spirit of revenge. I know there has been a great deal said about the exercise of the pardon power, as regards the Executive; and there is no one who has labored harder than I to have the principals, the intelligent and conscious offenders, brought to justice, and have the principle vindicated that 'treason is a crime.' [Cheers.]

But, while conscious and intelligent traitors are to be punished, should whole communities and States be made to submit to the penalty of death? I have quite as much asperity, and perhaps as much resentment, as a man ought to have; but we must reason regarding man as he is, and must conform our action and our conduct to the example of Him who founded our holy religion."

I said in the Senate, in the very inception of this rebellion, that the States had no right to secede. That question has been settled. Thus determined, I cannot turn around and give the lie direct to all that I profess to have done during the last four years. I say that when the States that attempted to secede comply with the Constitution, and give sufficient evidence of loyalty, I shall extend to them the right hand of fellowship, and let peace and reunion be restored. I am opposed to the Danvers, the Toombses, the Slidells, and the long list of such. But when I perceive on the other hand men—[A voice, "Call them off."]

I care not by what name you call them—still I am opposed to the Union, I am free to say to you that I am still with the people. I am still for the preservation of these States—for the preservation of this Union, and in favor of this great Government accomplishing its destiny. [Here the President was called upon to give the names of three of the members of Congress to whom he had alluded as being opposed to the Union.]

The gentleman calls for three names. I am talking to my friends and fellow-citizens here. [Cheers.] Suppose I should name to you those whom I look upon as being opposed to the fundamental principles of this Government, and as now laboring to destroy them. I say Thaddeus Stevens, of Pennsylvania; I say Charles Sumner, of Massachusetts; I say Wendell Phillips, of Massachusetts. [Great cheer- ing, and a voice, "Forney!"]

I do not waste my fire on dead ducks. [Laughter.] I stand for the country, and though my enemies may traduce, slander, and vituperate, I may say, that has no force.

In addition to this, I do not intend to be governed by real or pretended friends, nor do I intend to be bullied by my enemies. [Cheers.] I know, my countrymen, that it has been insinuated—nay, said directly in high places—that if such a usurpation of power had been exercised two hundred years ago, in particular reigns, it would have cost an individual his head. What usurpation has Andrew Johnson been guilty of? [Cheers and cries of "None."] My only usurpation has been committed by standing between the people and the encroachments of power. And because I dared say in a conversation with a fellow-citizen and a Senator too, that I thought amendments to the Constitution ought not to be so frequent, lest the instrument lose all its sanctity and dignity, and be wholly lost sight of in a short time, and because I happened to say in conversation that I thought that such an amendment was all that ought to be adopted, it was said that I had suggested such a usurpation of power as would have cost a king his head in a certain period! In connection with this subject, one has exclaimed that we are in the "midst of earthquakes and he trembled." Yes, there is an earthquake approaching, there is a groundswell coming of popular judgment and indignation. The American people will speak, and by their instinct, if in no other way, know who are their friends, when and where and in whatever position I stand—and I have occupied many positions in the Government, going through both branches of the Legislature. Some gentlemen here behind me says, "And was a tailor. [Laughter.] Now, that don't effect me in the least. When I was a tailor I always made a close fit and was always punctual to my customers, and did good work."

A Voice. No patchwork. THE PRESIDENT. No, I did not want any patchwork."

These extracts will give the reader a correct idea of the tone, and temper, and character of the President's speech. He has met the issue boldly and manfully.

Professional.

WALTER WEIR,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
BRENTSVILLE, PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA.
Will practice in the Courts of Prince William, Loudoun and Fairfax. dec 2-6m

PROFESSIONAL CARD.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

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Office, 127, King street, in the Insurance Building. sep 16-tf

NOTICE.—ROBERT J. SMITH, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC, has opened his office at Phenix Hall, where he may be found from 8 a. m., to 6 p. m., daily: aug 10-tf

LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR,
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No. 114, Prince street, east of the Post Office sep 30-tf

D. L. SMOOT. E. M. LOWE.
SMOOT & LOWE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office over Market House. P. O. Box 130. oc 30-tf

JULIUS DIENELT,
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NO. 145, PRINCE STREET,
(Four doors below Washington street,) ALEXANDRIA, VA. aug 31-tf

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DENTAL SURGEON,
Office over Dr. Stabler's Drug store, corner of King and Washington sts., Alexandria, Va. je 23-tf

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Special attention given to the sale of Real Estate, Stocks, Merchandise, &c. de 29-tf

TOBACCO.—100 boxes of Tobacco, best brands, for sale by JNO. S. KNOX, jr., No. 10, Union st. feb 19-1m

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fauquier county, pronounced the 12th day of December, 1865, in the suit of HUNTON vs. Bastable, the undersigned, who were therein appointed special Commissioners for that purpose, will, on Friday, 9th of February, 1866, offer for sale, on the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, A TRACT OF LAND, belonging to G. M. Bastable, in the county of Fauquier, and is the same land allotted to said Bastable, in the partition between him and Jas. J. Hunton, and contains by recent survey 866 1-2 ACRES. This is one of the very finest farms in Piedmont, Virginia; is well adapted to the growth of all cereals, and is unsurpassed as a Grazing Farm. It is beautifully situated on both sides of Cedar Run, and is composed entirely of the first and second bottoms of that stream. It lies within half a mile of the Warrenton Junction, on the O. & A. R. R. It has upon it a very VALUABLE MILL, fitted for grinding corn, and which might, with a small outlay, be made one of the finest flouring mills in the county; also, a first-class SAW MILL, in good repair. The DWELLING HOUSE is comfortable, but small. James J. Hunton, esq., who lives on the premises, will take pleasure in showing it to persons desirous to purchase. It is believed that no opportunity for a good investment, equal to this, has for a long time been offered to the public.

Terms of Sale:—One-fourth of the purchase money will be required in cash on the day of sale. The balance in one, two, and three equal annual instalments, to bear interest from the day of sale. The title to the land will be withheld as a security for deferred payments, and the land will be resold by order of Court, upon failure to pay any one of deferred payments.

JOHN M. FORBES.
B. H. SHACKELFORD.
EPPA HUNTON.
Fauquier co., de 22-dtd Commissioners.
P. S.—The above sale is postponed till Friday, the 23d day of March, 1866.
J. M. F.
B. H. S.
E. H. } Commissioners.
feb 15-dtd

Jewelry.

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CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER,
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WATCHES and JEWELRY carefully repaired and with dispatch. He would respectfully ask a call from his former friends, and the public generally. All watch work warranted. au 29-tf

COAL!! COAL!! COAL!!!
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BOWEN, BRO., & CO.
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FOR SALE.—A large lot of MANURE at the Grove Cattle Yard, upper end of King street. Enquire of George Tyler on the premises. Also the MILL HOUSE is for sale or rent. feb 15-tf

POTATOES.—40 bushels POTATOES, in store and for sale by
J. C. MILBURN, Cor. Cam. & Royal sts. feb 15-tf Opposite the Market.

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WHITE ASH, EGG AND STOVE.
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Has constantly on hand a full supply, and is constantly receiving fresh invoices of GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, and all other articles generally found in a first-class GROCERY and LIQUOR STORE, and will sell as low as they can be bought in this market. sep 12-t

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Their store, No. 145, King street, above St. Asaph, has just been handsomely fitted up, and a call from all their friends is respectfully solicited. jan 29-tf

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This article is offered with confidence to the Planters of Virginia, as being well adapted to their lands, and just what they need to produce large crops, and permanently improve the soil.
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